

A Family Journal---Devoted to Foreign and Domestic News, Politics, Literature, Agriculture, Education, Morality, Science and Art, Amusement, Advertising, &c. &c.

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"RESIST WITH CARE THE SPIRIT OF INNOVATION UPON THE PRINCIPLES OF YOUR GOVERNMENT, HOWEVER SPECIOUS THE PRETEXTS."—*Washington.*

NO. 38.

Am I a Cold Coquette?

To enjoy to-day stop worry to-morrow.

look, and replied : 'I said *hairs*, not *bristles*.'

The advantage. They were entire strangers, but the lady mistaking him for her "dear cousin Charlie," had embraced him while he, with a half-faded recollection having seen her before, returned it with great ardor. Their mutual embarrassment when they discovered their mistake, may be imagined.

Keep out of bad company, for chance is that when the Devil fires into a flock, he will be pretty apt to hit some one.

The judge is of the opinion that a good many of the hereditary gouty of the present day will have to be traced in the Dutchman's mode of lineage, in order to make out the descent.

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—A coquette is a rose bush, from which each young beau plucks a leaf, and the thorns are left for the husband.

 A lady describing an ill-tempered man, says, 'he never smiles but he feels ashamed of it.'

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Some one remarks that politicians make fools of themselves; pettifoggers make fools of others; and pretty girls make fools of both.

'I declare, mother,' said a pettish little girl, in a pettish little way, 'it's too bad, mother! you always send me to bed when I am not sleepy, and you always make me get up when I am sleepy.'

A Delightful Place.—The following statistics of London are a sad commentary on the boasted philanthropy of Christian England:

In London, there are above 100,000 drunkards, 100,000 persons living in profligacy, 20,000 professed beggars, 500 gamblers, and 3,000 receivers of stolen goods, besides 20,000 children who live in open destitution and sin.

At Rest.

To enjoy to-day stop worrying about to-morrow.

**To enjoy to-day stop worryin
morrow**

From Mexico.

Further Particulars of the Great Earthquake.—The Mexican papers contain full particulars of the damage done in that unfortunate republic by the earthquake of the 18th of June. In the city of Mexico the loss is estimated at from \$5,000,000 to \$6,000,000. About 29 lives were lost in the city. The National Palace suffered considerably, and in some places wide cracks were made in the earth. The streets, in several instances, were broken for a long distance.

The convents of San Fernando, San Francisco, Profesa, San Gerónimo, San Juan and the Sagrario have been seriously damaged. San Fernando is considered to be a ruin, although it still sustains its upright position. It is broken and cracked throughout, and is declared to be unsafe. The church of San Juan is much injured. A large portion of the portals in front—several tons—were thrown a long distance into the street from its position.

The two aqueducts which carry water into the city have been badly damaged, especially the one which passes into the city by the Garita de Belen. This is broken completely off in many places, and through out the entire line of Chapultepec the arches are broken horizontally, showing that they were subjected to a severe oscillating motion.

In the town of Chilpancingo sixty houses were thrown down by the earthquake of the 19th. The streets were heaped with ruins.

At Cuacan several houses were badly injured. The country-seat of General Gadsden, late United States Minister to Mexico, was broken in many places and the walls almost entirely thrown down.

From Patzcuaro, which is fifteen leagues to the west of Morelia, we learn that the shock was very severe. The temples of La Parroquia, La Compañia, San Juan de Dios and the sanctuary of Guadalupe have all been shaken to the ground, as well as a number of private houses, from the ruins of which sixteen dead bodies have been recovered. Much damage was also done at Jalapa. The earthquake extended over a circuit of six hundred miles.

In the city of Mexico there were four violent shocks, and men, women and children, by thousands, flocked to the public squares, where they remained all night, exposed to a drizzling rain.

The Late Captain Taylor.

We learn with the deepest sorrow the death of Capt. O. H. P. TAYLOR, U. S. Army, youngest son of the late Capt. Wm. V. TAYLOR, U. S. Navy, of this city, killed in the battle between Col. Stephen's command and a large body of Indians.

Capt. Taylor and Lieut. Gaston were killed while leading their men in charge. Capt. Taylor's men (Company C) as soon as he fell, rushed in and carried his body from the Indians, and bore it off the field. All are loud in their praises of the two gallant fellows who fell nobly leading their men. In short, every officer there must have done his duty, or none would have escaped, as there were six different tribes engaged in this battle. The most formidable were the Flat Heads, who are both numerous and powerful, and heretofore regarded as a great trial.

Capt. Taylor was known to almost every one in this community, and all sympathize with his family. He was greatly respected to his profession, and had distinguished himself whenever an opportunity presented. For his gallant conduct at Chihuahua he received honorable mention in the report of his commander, Col. Price, and subsequently was breveted for the same meritorious acts. He joined the army fresh from West Point, (where he entered a cadet in 1840), and from that time up to the time of his death he was in active service; and during the whole period his leaves of absence could be compassed into the space of a few months. A soldier's life he loved, and he was not with a soldier's death—fighting gallantly for his country and falling sword in hand. We knew him in boyhood, and we have watched his rapid promotion with pride; for he was worthy of the trust reposed in him, an honor to his country, a warm friend, a dutiful son, and a tender and loving father and husband. His wife and little ones were with him at the time of the battle. —*Newburyport (R. I.) Mercury.*

Distressing Mining Accident.

Four Men and a Boy Suffocated to Death.—The Puttville (Pa.) Journal has the following account of the late accident at Wigley & Co.'s colliery, in that county:

When the miners were ready to return to the surface after stopping work in the morning, five of them—four men and a boy—started to walk up the slope, while two subsequently placed themselves in a car at the bottom of the slope, to be hauled up by the engine, which all should have been done when they came off their shift. We understand that the inside boss gave them instructions to that effect before they went down the previous evening. Unfortunately, however, the fire referred to neglected the instructions, and they had proceeded but a short distance up the slope when all were overcome by black damp, and falling in the passage, died before any measure could be adopted for their rescue. In fact, considerable time elapsed after the discovery of the occurrence before the air could be rendered pure enough in the slope to enable persons to descend and bring up the bodies to the surface.

The names of the unfortunate miners are:—William Price and his son Henry, (the former leaves a wife and three children); Frederick Blacker, who leaves a wife and six children; Evan Jones, who leaves a wife and two children; and Thomas Edwards, unmarried. They were Welshmen, and new men at the colliery.

Promise and Performance.

There is always a world-wide difference between the promises of Democrats during a canvass, and the performances after an election is over, for example, as a contemporary observes:

(Mr. Buchanan's persistent demands for 'more money' do not amount much like his promised 'retrenchment.' But it is always the way with Democratic Presidents. Mr. Van Buren, when he came in, found our annual expenses at seven millions, and almost doubled them before he went out. Mr. Polk found them twenty-two millions, and he very nearly doubled them. Gen. Pierce found them forty millions, and he very nearly doubled them. Mr. Buchanan, probably, is only trying to see whether he cannot double them again.

An Infamous Elopement.

Some time since a Frenchman calling himself Henri de Riviere, came to this country. In March last he visited Mobile and got introduced to the family of Col. Blount, a wealthy gentleman of that city. He represented himself as a Crimean hero, a French nobleman, &c. Col. Blount had a daughter under eighteen years of age, who is worth, it is said, \$150,000 in her own right. To this young lady Riviere commenced paying his addresses. He was encouraged by the daughter and her mother, but Col. Blount, caring more for the honor of his family than for the stories of the French adventurer, disapproved his visits. But Col. Blount, in pursuing his profession of the law, had occasion to be absent from home for a few days, and this absence was taken advantage of by the Frenchman and Mrs. and Miss Blount, and they all left for New Orleans. Col. Blount, on learning of their flight, pursued them. They fled to Cuba; he pursued them. They came on to New York, and he followed them, where, a few days ago, he had them arrested; but Riviere and Miss Blount, at the last account, had escaped from the officers and could not be found. Mrs. Blount is as much infatuated with the French adventurer as her daughter, and aids them in their flight.

Riviere is said to be a fellow of bad character, and to have a wife living. He is also said to be an escaped criminal from France. We can deeply pity Col. Blount; but as for the daughter and mother, they should be put into a sack with a good big stone attached to it, and thrown into a river. If there is anything under heaven supremely mean, contemptible and loath some, it is a wanton woman, throwing aside the honor and affection of her family, and starting in pursuit of, or in league with, some unprincipled adventurer.

Absconding of an Illinois Banker.

A Sad Case.—We are more pained than surprised, to learn that an accomplished banker, for some years in charge of a bank at Peoria, Ill., but formerly of this city, has absconded, leaving the bank minus a large sum on his account. The sum is stated at \$25,000. He left, as we learn, some three weeks ago, giving his family to understand that he was going away on business, as he was accustomed to do. But it would seem that he went to New Orleans, where he was heard of, following the vice of gambling, which has proved his ruin. Thence he went to New York, and thence back to Charleston, whence, it is supposed, he took a steamer to some West India port. This man was in a bank here for some time, but was compelled to leave because of his addiction to gambling and his usual concomitants. He went thence to Peoria, where his superior business qualifications immediately won for him a very high position. He had been steady, he could have secured, in an honorable way, all the money he will ever need. But now he has lost all; for it is supposed that the largest portion of the \$25,000 was gambled away before he absconded. He left a wife and three children, quite destitute, and they have just returned to this city, where their friends reside. —*Rochester Union, July 15.*

Amalgamation in Boston.

An exchange paper makes the assertion that during the last year there were, according to the Registrar's report, 60 cases of the intermarriage of white and colored persons in Boston, and that, in every instance, white females married colored males, there being no case of a white man marrying a colored female. Upon reference to the records, we learn the facts in regard to amalgamation in Boston to be as follows: The law of Massachusetts forbidding such marriages was repealed about a dozen years ago, and since that time not much more than thirty marriages of this character have taken place. In the year 1857, the number was twelve; in 1856, nine, and in 1854, 2; in the other years since 1850 no such marriages are reported. In the year 1850 there is the record of a marriage of a white male with a colored female; and it is the only marriage of this character noticed in the reports. So far, the present year, there have been a number of marriages between colored males and white females; but there are no indications of an increase in that respect upon former years. —*Boston Trav.*

Trial of Female Regulators.—A correspondent of the Cleveland Leader, writing from Warren county, Ohio, furnishes the following:

The Bristol temperance girls have not had to suffer for their course. Five girls were under arrest for seeking a corner grocery; but there were fourteen others engaged in the transaction, and they all attended court in a body, dressing alike, marching and sitting together with a flag at their head. Messrs. Hutchins & Co. and G. M. Tuttle volunteered to defend them, Judge Birchard being the prosecuting counsel. The counsel for the prisoners claimed, and established by proof, that the grocery was a nuisance under the law, and that they had a right to abate the nuisance as at common law. The justices believed the concern a nuisance under the law, and held that being such, any person had a right to abate it—and they, therefore, discharged the prisoners.

A Shocking Death.—We have received the particulars of a terrible accident, resulting in death, which occurred in the township of Brantford, on Tuesday last. Mr. Brantley, the proprietor of the Anashtar Saw Mills, while at work, was caught in the breast by a circular saw and instantly cut through the body. His liver was torn out and thrown a distance of some twenty feet across the mill. A most extraordinary circumstance connected with this frightful event, is related by parties in whose word we have implicit confidence, and was witnessed by a large number of the unfortunate man's neighbors, who were present at the time, and who have been in the habit of congregating in the mill to witness the operations of the saw. After he had been cut through the body, he arose from the floor on which he had fallen, and lifting a portion of his intestines—which, with other parts of his mangled body, lay scattered around—walked forward with several feet, when he sat down and expired, without having uttered a word from the moment he received his fatal wounds. The scene presented to the eyes of the spectators is said to have been one of horror, and calculated to shock the stoutest and most hardened heart. —*Hamilton (C. W.) Times.*



GETTYSBURG:

MONDAY, JULY 26, 1858.

The People's State Ticket.

SUPREME JUDGE,
JOHN M. READ, of Philadelphia.
CANAL COMMISSIONER,
WILLIAM E. FRAZER, of Fayette.

COUNTY CONVENTION.

At a meeting of the Union County Committee, held in Gettysburg, on Monday, June 23, it was unanimously

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendation of the several State Committees, we invite the Citizens of Adams County, who are opposed to the present National Administration, especially to its despotic and fraudulent Lecompton policy, and its wilful neglect of the just claims of domestic industry, and who are in favor of the Sovereignty of the People over their own local concerns; of American institutions as against the policy and intrigues of foreign Governments, and of adequate protection to our home labor; to meet at the usual places for holding Delegate Elections, on Saturday the 31st day of July next, between the hours of 2 and 6 o'clock, P. M., and elect two Delegates from each Borough and Township, to meet in COUNTY CONVENTION, in Gettysburg, on Monday the 2d day of August next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to nominate a People's Ticket to be supported at the fall election, and to appoint Congressional Conferences, and transact such other business as may be necessary. By order of Executive Committee, CHAS. HORNBER, Chairman. Wm. F. WATSON, Secy.

Col. A. K. McCLEURE, of Chambersburg, in a note to the Editor of the *Register*, declines being a candidate for Congress at the coming election. This now leaves the field clear for the candidate that may be named by Adams; and, so far as we can gather public sentiment, that individual will be Mr. McPHERSON.

The "United Brethren in Christ" are to have a Woods-meeting on the farm of Mr. Sheely, a mile north-east of Cash-town, commencing on Friday next.

At the Supreme Court which has been in session at Harrisburg, among the opinions delivered was one in the case of "Hill vs. Epley," tried in our Court—Judge Strong delivered the opinion—reversing the judgment of our Court, and awarding a *venue de novo*. This long contested matter has, therefore, to take a fresh start. It has been known for many years as the "Witherow & Epley" case.

Administration Accounts.

The Register advises that the following Administration accounts will be presented for confirmation and allowance, at the Orphans' Court of Adams county, on Monday the 16th of August:

Estate of Jacob Tanager;
" Catharine Peeler;
" Jacob Boblitz;
" Jacob Mackley;
" Dietrich Feltz;
" Elizabeth Triemer;
" John Deardorff;
" Philip Thomas;
" Michael Miller;
" Wm. Hartzel;
" Henry Wasmus;
" Marcus Barus;

Guardianship account of Lavinia Flickinger (now Hoover), and Elizabeth Flickinger.

The Normal School, under the superintendence of Mr. CONVERSE, are pleased to learn, is in successful operation. The session will last two weeks.

A number of the citizens of Hanover are getting up an excursion to the Falls of Niagara, during the present season. So says the *Spectator*.

The laying of the Telegraphic Cable has again proved a failure, and the vessels have returned. It is thought another attempt will be made this season.

Dysentery, of a virulent type, is prevailing to a serious extent in the lower part of York county. In a circuit of three miles, in Chancetown township, no less than six persons have died in the last two weeks.

The bridge over the little Lehigh river at Allentown, Pa., gave way when a train was passing over, and two men, named Joel Fields and Wm. Landis, were killed.

The barn of Mr. Jacob Wingert, of Letterkenny township, Franklin county, was struck by lightning on Wednesday afternoon week, and entirely consumed, together with its contents, hay, wheat, farming implements, &c.

Elections.—Between now and the eighth of November next, the Free States will elect 127 of the 236 members of the next United States House of Representatives, leaving nine to be elected in March and April next—three in New Hampshire, four in Connecticut, and two in Rhode Island. Vermont will commence the electing of members of the next Congress September 7th, and Maine will follow six days later in the same month. The Middle and Western States will elect their 118 in October and November.

The Rev. Dr. L. Etcheberger, has, on account of declining health, resigned his Professorship in the Luth. Th. Sem., S. C.

PROGRAMME OF EXERCISES.

AT THE
Grand Tournament at Mummaburg.
July 31, 1858.

I. **The Procession.**—The procession will form at the Cross-Keys Hotel, under direction of Capt. J. F. BALEY, 1st Assistant Marshal, in the following order:—1. The Herald. 2. The Band. 3. The Chief Marshal, with Assistants. 4. The Knights, two abreast, attended by their Esquires. 5. Citizens. The procession will proceed to the Tilting ground, and the Knights wheel into line, facing the Chief Marshal.

II. **The Dubbing of the Knights.**—When each Knight entered will receive his cognomen, by which alone he will be recognized during the exercise; and Address of Chief Marshal.

III. **The Tournament.**—The contest being for the privilege of choosing the Queen of Love and Beauty. 1. All Knights will tilt as they are called by the Herald, and each one will have the opportunity of five tilts, and he who takes the ring oftentimes will be declared by the Judges immediately as victor—who will then take his station at the right of the Chief Marshal. 2. The contests for the Maids of Honor, four in number, will then be entered into with the same rules and regulations as the contest for the Queen.

IV. **The Choice.**—The fortunate Knights will, after their triumph has been declared, and have received their congratulatory addresses, proceed to choose from the company the Queen and her Maids of Honor, and present the Queen for coronation.

V. **The Coronation.**—Appropriate addresses by the persons selected; and

VI. **Conclusion.**

It is hoped and expected that proper order and decorum will be observed throughout.

White Crane.

On Saturday last, a young son of Mr. Moses M. NEELY, of Reading township, shot on their farm, a beautiful white Crane—a rare bird in our section of country. It was 4 feet 5 inches high, and measured 5 feet from point of bill to tail. It was shot on a tree 90 feet in height. It was brought into town, and presented to the Linnean Society of the College.

Capt. M. Cromer, of Mercersburg, on the 12th inst., cut 12½ acres of wheat from sun-up till 20 minutes before sundown! The work is stated to have been well done, the swaths averaging 11 feet in breadth, and the cuts about 4½ feet in depth. There is not much necessity for *Patent Reapers*, when the Captain is about.

Real Estate in Philadelphia.—The Pennsylvania gives a doleful account of the decline in price of real estate in Philadelphia. Small stores and moderately large dwelling houses rent readily at fair prices, and the number of houses for sale and to rent is larger than it has been for twenty years. A large amount of property is in the Sheriff's hands, which will sell at ruinously low prices. Building associations have collapsed, and large quantities of land on the outskirts of the city, bought by speculators last year, have reverted to the original owners.

Large Robbery in York County.—The dwelling house of Dr. Geo. W. Haldeman, in Liverpool, the collector of State and county taxes of Manchester township, was broken into on the night of the 14th inst., and robbed of \$1,500 in bank bills, a check for \$200 on the York Bank, drawn by John Billiger, in favor of Geo. W. Haldeman, and a silver watch. The next morning six or seven hundred dollars of the stolen money were found near the house. In his eagerness to depart, the thief, no doubt, lost this portion of his ill-gotten treasure. The stolen money is said to have been tax money, which the Dr. had intended to pay over to the County Treasurer next day.

Alexander Wilson, Esq., a native of Roxbury, Franklin county, Pennsylvania, but more recently residing in Philadelphia, has just been appointed United States Attorney for the Territory of Utah.

The India news possesses some interest. The British troops met with success everywhere except in the climate. The sun and summer are slaying far more than the enemy have or can.

Destructive Fire.—A fire occurred in Leavenworth City, Kansas, on the 14th inst., which destroyed the theatre, and thirty buildings—involving a loss estimated at \$200,000.

Utah.—We have later news from Utah by the arrival of the mail at the western frontier. General Johnson had entered Salt Lake City with his army on the 26th, and made his headquarters there. He had issued a proclamation, inviting the Mormons to return to their homes, which thus far they have not done.

A Female Preacher.—At the recent annual session of the Ontario (N. Y.) Association of Universalists, Mrs. Lydia A. Jenkins received a letter of fellowship, as a preacher of the Gospel. Her husband is also a preacher. This is supposed to be the first female who ever received a letter of fellowship from any ecclesiastical body.

A Wild Country.—Some of the telegraph stations in Newfoundland are twenty miles from any habitable place, and the operatives live in a state of original simplicity. They are well posted, however, in the news of the day, and know all about prices in the cotton market.

Orson Hyde, one of the Mormon apostles, boasts that if he lives ten years longer and thrives as he has been thriving, he will have 'some enough to make a regiment by themselves.'

The President's Armed Force.

The Washington organ of the Administration boasts that the President has determined to send an 'armed force' to Nicaragua to convince the world that no interference will be allowed in our right of way across the Transit. A mere show of an armed force will have about as much effect as the ringing of gongs by the Chinese against the British arms. The administration of Mr. Buchanan has great faith in these displays. It displays, says the *Albany Journal*, an 'armed force' cooped up in the Utah Mountains, eating mules. Another of its 'armed forces' is dodging round the Coast of Africa, trying to catch the Yellow Fever. Aground off Shanghai, it has a fourth 'armed force.' But none of these armed forces seem to frighten anybody. Either they are so small in number, or so ill-provisioned, or so badly equipped, or so wrongly chosen, or so tied up with contradictory instructions, that they have their hands full to take care of themselves—let alone hurting anybody else.

What are we to send another 'armed force' to Nicaragua for? Either we have a cause of complaint against the French and English Government, or we have not. If we have, our Ministers at London and Paris should be told to attend to it. If we have not, it is sheer nonsense to make unmeaning displays of 'armed force.' —*Harrisburg Telegraph.*

Our National Debt.—The United States Economist estimates the expenditures of the fiscal year at \$90,000,000. The receipts of the Treasury from reports are not likely to exceed \$50,000,000, and those from the sales of land will be trifling, so that not far from \$40,000,000 will have to be borrowed. This will bring up the public debt incurred by the present administration since December, 1857, to the round sum of \$90,000,000. It will not take long after that, at the present rate of progress, to swell this great debt to \$100,000,000.

Death of Three Men from Poison.—On Monday three men—two named Brien, and the other Mullen—were at work in the slaughterhouse of Allegheny county, Pa., when a female pauper handed them a bottle, from which to refresh themselves. She was under the impression it contained cherry bounce, and stating the fact to the men they drank of it freely. Subsequently they took ill, and then the mistake of the girl was discovered. The cherry bounce had been mixed with *Cocculus Indicus*—a fatal poison—and the result was the men died.

Lynch Law in Texas.—A gang of Texas robbers, who operated in Navarro, and several other counties, has been discovered. The residence of Mr. Graves, on the road from Waco to Corscoune, was pursued, overtaken and hung. They 'peached,' and told that the gang numbered some fifty or sixty. It is reported that two others were hung in Limestone county.

The Loss by the Flood.—The whole loss by the flood at Cairo, it is said, will be inside of \$90,000. The Illinois Central Railroad can make all repairs for \$7,000. The loss to the citizens, in furniture, buildings and stock, will not exceed \$50,000. The water rose above low mark forty-seven feet, which is two feet higher than ever before known by those who have lived in the vicinity since 1779.

A Brave Young Uncle.

A correspondent of the *Pittsburg Post* relates the following touching incident: 'As we left Pittsburg in the cars, we observed a small boy named Stitt, about twelve years of age, poorly clad, but very intelligent, having with him an infant ten months old, the child of his sister who died a few weeks ago. The lad had brought the infant from Iowa city, where the mother died, and was on his way to Harrisburg. The young uncle had cared for and nursed it all the way—a weighty charge for one so young. It would not, perhaps, have been so much remarked had a young girl been in custody of the orphan babe, but here was a mere boy, putting away childish things, and assuming all the cares and responsibility of a parent, during a journey of a thousand miles at least. The passengers manifested the greatest interest in the little wayfarer and his charge, the ladies especially in turn relieving the lad of his burden, as he appeared to be almost exhausted with his long journey. Such consistency and manliness in one of such youthful years is not often exhibited, and certainly well deserves the name of heroism.'

Noops Excommunicated.—The high dignitaries of the colored church, in E'kton, Md., have resolved to turn out of their society all 'ladies' of their congregation addicted to the immoral practice of wearing hoops. This is done in accordance with the action of the last conference, which held up holy hands against the practice.

If the world does not grow better it is not for want of hanging. The papers have recorded an unusual number of executions lately, some of them very painful to read, all of them more or less shocking to good taste.

A Bequest.—Miss Susan Rameburg, late of Frederick county, Md., deceased, bequeathed about \$10,000 to the benevolent societies of the Pipe Creek and Jefferson circuits of the Methodist Protestant church, in trust for home missionary purposes.

Expenditures.

The following table shows the expenditures of the General Government for the last ten years, including the Administration of Taylor, Fillmore, Pierce, and Buchanan:—

1849—General Taylor,	\$46,798,667 82
1850—Fillmore,	43,505,902 11
1851—do	40,504,422 12
1852—do	36,582,680 37
1853—Pierce,	43,544,202 83
1854—do	51,018,249 60
1855—do	56,335,393 00
1856—do	59,127,401 64
1857—Buchanan,	64,878,828 85
1858—do	81,000,000 00

It will be remembered that during the first two years of the administration of Mr. Fillmore a portion of the Mexican war debt was paid off, but notwithstanding this extraordinary source of expense, the appropriations required for all the purposes of the Government were in no instance much more than one half of what has been expended by Mr. Buchanan in the fiscal year just concluded; and in 1858 the sum expended was much less than half of this amount. The people will not fail to make their own comments. —*Ohio State Journal.*

Our Relations with Mexico.—It is stated that the government has sent a message to Mexico with dispatches to our minister in that republic, approving his course in suspending diplomatic intercourse with that country, and directing the withdrawal of the legation, and its return to the United States.

Troops Ordered to the Pacific.—There are already in Washington and Oregon Territories, it is said, some twenty-three companies, but they are far from being full, and are believed to comprise less than twelve hundred men. These do not, of course, include the reinforcements from California, which are supposed to number some six hundred men. To-morrow 400 men will sail from New York in the American steamer, en route for Washington and Oregon territories, and it is expected they will make the trip to Vancouver in thirty-five days.

THE TOMB OF TAYLOR.—In the family cemetery of his father, near Louisville, Kentucky, are deposited the remains of General Taylor, eleventh President of the United States. No monument has as yet been erected to the brave old man, but on a plain slab are the simple words: 'ZACHARY TAYLOR,' to designate where his coffin lies. At some future time the Nation will doubtless do justice to the great soldier.

Crops in Indiana.—The Indianapolis (Ind.) Sentinel thinks that, on the whole, the crop of wheat in that State will exceed that of last year. In Laporte county alone it is estimated there will be a surplus of 700,000 bushels for shipment. The grass crop is fine all over the State. Oats are unequal; in some localities an average crop, while in others there is almost a total failure.

There has been not less of desire than of effort, by peace-making politicians, to procure a truce between the administration and Mr. Douglas, but the speech of the latter, at Chicago, has called out such severe reply in the executive organ—the Union—as to preclude all reasonable hope of 'union and harmony' between the high contending parties.

About sunset of the 17th inst., at New York, five young girls belonging to the House of Mercy in Eighteenth street, went into the Hudson river for the purpose of bathing, clasping each others hands as they went. Unaware of the existence of several deep places, at that point, they were soon beyond their depth, and were drowned before any assistance could be rendered. The deceased were Asjaval Van Olander, aged 14; Hannah H. Bryan, aged 15; Ellen Smith, aged 15; Margaret Flynn, aged 16; Louisa Ever, aged 19. The bodies have not yet been recovered.

Sad Death of a Betrayed Woman.—Mrs. Brooks, who deserted her husband at Hartford, Conn., and was in turn deserted by her paramour, died Saturday night, at the house of Thos. Goodwin, in New Haven, from the effects of the arsenic she took when she found she had been betrayed.

Dreadful Accident.—On the 14th inst., Andrew, son of Christian Newcomer, a young man between 25 and 30 years of age, reading with his father, on Beaver creek, Washington county, Md., in jumping from a mow in the barn, jumped on a fork, the handle of which penetrated his body, producing a frightful wound and injuring the bowels seriously. The Boonsboro' Odd Fellow says his recovery is doubtful.

NEW ORLEANS, July 18.—General Quitman died this morning, near Natchez. His disease was contracted at the National Hotel, in Washington city, sixteen months ago, causing a general debility, which baffled the best medical skill of the country.

Boston, July 17.—Private advices received here state that a great fire had occurred at Port Elizabeth, Cape of Good Hope, destroying all the finest warehouses in the place. The loss is upwards of half a million dollars.

The wild pigeons up in Marion county, Ohio, are becoming terribly destructive, literally sweeping the late planted corn-fields clean, pulling up the stocks and devouring every grain. One man lost sixteen acres, another eighteen, another ten, and so on.

Why He Didn't Vote.

It will be recollected that Senator Henderson, of Texas, did not record his vote upon the Kansas Conference bill, and that his silence occasioned some surprise at the time, as he was known to be hostile to the measure. We now find in the *Austin (Texas) Gazette*, the following extract of a letter from that Senator, giving his reasons for not voting upon the bill:—

PHILADELPHIA, May 2, 1858.
MAJ. JOHN MARSHALL—My Dear Sir: I left Washington city on day before yesterday evening, just after the final passage of the Kansas compromise bill. I did not vote on the bill at its passage. On the morning of the day the bill finally passed, the President sent for me, and made such an earnest and strong appeal to me to vote for the bill, and aid in saving its Administration and the Democratic party of the North, as to induce me to leave the Senate Chamber and not vote at all, as I would have felt bound to vote against the bill, if I had voted. We are an unfortunate people; and when we will be able to present the question in a shape to unite the majority of our people in standing by their rights is hard to foresee.

Yours, very truly,
HENDERSON.
We are certainly an 'unfortunate people,' when the President of the United States can so far forget the dignity of his office, and the proprieties of public life, as to send for members of Congress with a view of persuading them to violate their own judgments. Who does not see in this letter an explanation of the whole scores of Democratic votes? It is the patronage of the government brought in conflict with the freedom of elections. —*Harrisburg Telegraph.*

Will Mr. REILLY please explain to his constituents the mystery of the change in his position on this Kansas question?

A National Disgrace.

We have understood that the heavy contract for the large amount of iron pipes needed to supply the city of Washington with water, has been given out, and will be manufactured in Scotland. It was let without restriction, and was taken by a person in Philadelphia. Is it not a burning shame that an Administration under a son of Pennsylvania should give out one of the heaviest contracts under its control to be taken to a foreign country, in the very article with which his own State can supply the wants of the world? Is it not an outrage, that the furnaces along the Lehigh Valley must languish and lie idle, while James Buchanan and his Democratic friends are importing cast iron pipes to supply the National Capital with water? Is our own State to be thus scourged and cursed for the sin of having elected an imbecile old man as President? Truly ours is a great, but our punishment is almost greater than we can bear. Thousands of hands might find profitable employment in the manufacture of this pipe; but no, the subjects of the Queen of England must first be cared for. Eastern business men and capitalists are prepared to manufacture the best iron for this very kind of work, and had the contract been limited to the productions of our own country, as it should have been, many of our furnaces would be kept in active operation. Does any person need a better illustration of Mr. Buchanan's idea of protection to American labor and capital? If a person were to go among the thousands of workmen employed on our National Capitol, he would hear every language under Heaven spoken, and see every nation represented, with scarcely an American representation. Yet this is the great Democratic dynasty of James Buchanan. —*Easton Free Press.*

Military Sabbath.

Gen. Quitman in the Mexican War.

The death of Gen. John A. Quitman seems to create much regret all over the country, and among men of all parties.

His civil and military career is sketched by the press generally with much minuteness. From an account of his services during the Mexican war we copy the following:

General Quitman's first demonstration against the enemy was the storming of Fort Tanageria, a strong work at the lower part of the town of Monterey, which he attacked at the head of the Tennessee regiment and the Mississippi rifles on the 21st day of September, 1846, and captured on the 23d. He was one of the first to enter the city. On the death of General Harmer and the retirement of General Butler, the command of the entire volunteer force fell to General Quitman. He was entrusted by General Taylor with the command of the expedition against Victoria, the capital of Tamaulipas; assaulted that place with seven regiments, and took possession Dec. 28, 1847. His forces were afterward joined to the army under General Scott.

He was at the taking of Vera Cruz, and continued in active service throughout the whole of that memorable campaign. While on the road, advancing with his command in support of General Worth, who was about attacking the city of Puebla, General Quitman received his commission from the President as major-general of the army.

He now outranked Gen. Worth, but he pushed on to support him, and when that gallant general entered the city, Quitman, on arriving there, declined to exhibit his commission, or to supersede in any way the captor of Puebla.

During the subsequent operations before the city of Mexico he continued high in the confidence of General Scott, and was appointed by him to posts of distinction on several occasions. At Chapultepec he led in person the assault on the batteries on the south side, at the foot of the hill, and afterwards continued his victorious course along the Tacubaya causeway to the city.

In this gallant enterprise there was a generous emulation between his division and that of Gen. Worth, which was also advancing upon the city along the San Cosmo causeway. During the early part of the night the advance continued, the head of both columns sending their flashes of sulphurous light across the plain. One hour and twenty minutes past midnight the Garita of Belen was gained. Quitman immediately mounted upon a portion of the wall, and waving a rifle with a bandkerchief attached to it as a flag, called upon those around him to mark the hour and to note the position of the head of Worth's column, which was still some hundreds of yards from the Garita of San Cosmo.

Here the battle lulled for a time, while the exhausted troops were ordered to lie down on their arms for a few hours' repose. Sending an aid to report to General Scott his position, Quitman, in company with Major Beauregard, of the engineers, proceeded to select positions and throw up batteries against the citadel, which was immediately in front of them. After some time the aid-de-camp returned, and Quitman anxiously inquired: "What news from headquarters?"

"Every one says that you will not be able to hold the position," replied the aid-de-camp, "and that you will have to fall back."

"But what did General Scott say?" hastily demanded Quitman. "Did he send me any orders?"

"General Scott said, sir, that he would not embarrass you with orders."

"I thank General Scott for this. Then, gentlemen, we will hold the position," said General Quitman, "and go to the National Palace."

And he did hold it, and at seven o'clock of that morning he hoisted the American flag on the National Palace in the city. He was thus the first to enter the capital, as he had been the first in Monterey.

General Scott appointed him Governor of the city, and after a few weeks he received orders from Washington to come home to confer with the government as to the military occupation of Mexico. Peace, however, was soon after concluded.

Cambria County.—On Thursday morning Peter Heim, an old and respectable farmer of Richland township, who resided about three miles from Johnstown, committed suicide by hanging. The deceased was about fifty years of age and the father of several children. He was one of the wealthiest men in Richland township, owning several hundred acres of good land, possessed of at least three thousand dollars in hard cash. No motive for the rash act is assigned, unless the tightness of the times and the partial failure of his crops may have effected a temporary derangement of mind. The deceased was a member of the Amish persuasion, and a preacher of that faith.

FEARFUL MORTALITY.—Died, in Abington, Va., of diarrhoea, on the 22d ult., Susan B., aged 7 years; on the 26th, Campbell J., aged 12; on the 18th, Lydia B., aged 5, and Levi C., aged 2; and on the 6th instant, Nancy C., aged 10—all children of Casper Fleener. On the 19th ult., Mrs. Mary Fleener died at an advanced age; on the 5th instant Mr. Henry Fleener, aged about 70 years; and on the 3d William L., son of Joel Fleener, aged 4 years.

Worth Trying.—On the subject of "bites and stings" Hall's Journal of Health has an item which may be important to some:

As many of our readers are preparing to travel or go into the country for the summer, it may be useful to remind them that an ounce of oil of spirits of turpentine should be considered one of the indispensable, as in case of being bitten or stung by any poisonous animal or insect, the immediate free application of the alkali as a wash to the part bitten gives instant, perfect and permanent relief, the bite of a mad dog, we believe, not excepted; so will strong ashes and water.

Suicide of a Surgeon.
ELMYRA, N. Y., July 17.—Dr. O. D. Wilcox committed suicide here yesterday. He had amputated a leg for a man named Hammond in the town of Chemung, who soon afterwards died. Dr. W. was then charged with malpractice and criminal proceedings instituted against him, and immediately after the sheriff served the papers on him he took some deadly poison and died in half an hour.

Vegetation is so scarce at Cape Cod, Massachusetts, that two mullein stalks and a huckleberry-bush are called a grove.

The following are the resolutions adopted by the late People's Convention at Harrisburg:

This Convention representing the freemen of Pennsylvania who are opposed to the leading measures of the National Administration, most especially those which seek to stifle the voice, and ignore the rights of a large majority of the citizens of Kansas; and those which have prostrated the industry of the country, and are fast driving our government into a national bankruptcy, do hereby declare and resolve:

1. That the Federal Constitution, the sovereign rights, and union of the States, and the liberties of the people, must and shall be preserved.

2. That we protest against the Kansas policy of the National Administration, as at war with the rights of the people and subversive of the principles of our government.

3. That the reckless and profligate extravagance of the National Administration, causing a necessity for continued loans, without any means provided for their payment, gives evidence of a want of that ability and integrity which should characterize the government of a free people, and unless checked will lead to inevitable bankruptcy.

4. That the purity and safety of the Ballot Box, are to be preserved at all hazards, and that all frauds upon Naturalization laws, which have been so much resorted to, to promote the success of the party we oppose, ought to be counteracted by wholesome and proper legislation.

5. That this Convention do most heartily approve of and endorse the course pursued by our able and distinguished Senator in Congress, the Hon. Simon Cameron, as well as that of those Representatives from this State, who have steadfastly opposed the tyrannical policy of the National Administration in their attempts to impose upon the people of Kansas by fraud and force a Slavery Constitution, in opposition to the known and oft expressed sentiments of the freemen of the Territory.

6. That the National Administration, during all the late long session of Congress, evinced an entire disregard of the great industrial interests of the country, and indulged in a most wasteful and lavish expenditure of the public money.

7. Resolved, That the revenue necessary for a judicious and economical administration of the Government, should be raised by the imposition of duties upon foreign imports, and in laying them, such discriminating protection should be given as will secure the rights of free labor and American industry.

8. That in presenting John M. Read to the people of Pennsylvania, as a candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court, we recognize the man, scholar and jurist, eminently qualified to fill and adorn the place.

9. That Wm. E. Frazer is well and favorably known to the people of Pennsylvania, as an able and correct business man, and peculiarly qualified to discharge all the duties pertaining to the office of the Canal Commissioner.

10. That we approve of the enactment of proper laws to protect us from the reduction of foreign criminals in our midst by returning them at once to places from whence they have been shipped to our shores.

Last Thursday, an exceedingly beautiful young lady of Mississippi shot her pretended lover for slandering her, knocking off a pretty large piece of his jaw.

Change of Fortune.—Charles Strutz, a rauper in the Franklin county (Ohio) poorhouse, recently received intelligence that an uncle who had lately died had left him \$100,000.

Odoriferous.—Some wag, writing from Cairo, Ill., since the subsiding of the flood, says there are now in that city 452 distinct and different smells, and several words yet to hear from!

B. Perry and A. Keovil, convicted at Pittsburg for selling lottery tickets, have been sentenced to the penitentiary for one year each.

The Markets.
BALTIMORE—Friday last.

Flour, \$4 25 to 4 37
Wheat, 1 00 to 1 18
Rye, 65 to 75
Corn, 55 to 65
Oats, 40 to 45
Cloverseed, 4 00 to 4 50
Timothy seed, 2 00 to 2 25
Beef Cattle, 6 00 to 7 75
Hay, (in bundles), 12 00 to 15 00
Do, (loose), 9 00 to 11 00

YORK—Friday last.
Flour, per bbl., from wagons, 3 87
Wheat, per bushel, 85 to 1 05
Rye, 65
Corn, 55
Oats, 40
Clover Seed, 4 00
Timothy Seed, 2 00
Plaster Paris, per ton, 8 50

HANOVER—Thursday last.
Flour, (from Wagons), \$4 00
Wheat, per bushel, 80 to 1 00
Rye, 65
Corn, 55
Oats, 40
Clover Seed, 4 00
Timothy Seed, 2 00
Clover Seed, 4 00

Married.
On Tuesday the 20th inst., by the Rev. J. H. Marsden, M. D., at his residence in this county, the Rev. ROBERT S. GRIER, to Mrs. MARGARET STEWART—both of Harrisburg, Md.

In Philadelphia, on the 5th inst., by Rev. R. Kleinand, of St. Peter's, Mr. RICHARD C. HEWITT, of Pennsylvania, N. J., to Miss ANNA B. CARVER, of Gettysburg.

Died.
On the 14th inst., in Mountpleasant township, Mr. JOSEPH SNEERINGER, aged about 25 years.

In Conowingo township, on the 17th inst., Mr. PETER STINE, in the 71st year of his age.

On the 18th inst., Mr. DANIEL YEATTS, of Butler township, aged 66 years 11 months and 10 days.

On the 21st inst., MARY ELIZABETH, daughter of Wm. J. and Mary E. Martin, of this place, aged 9 months.

On the 17th inst., WILBERT JOHN, son of George and Magdalena Truette, of Strasburg, Ohio, aged 10 months and 13 days.

At Cleveland, Ohio, on the 8th inst., Mrs. SARAH H. BROWN, wife of T. Brown, Esq., of the "Farmer," and sister of John Hersh, Esq., formerly of Gettysburg.

Vegetation is so scarce at Cape Cod, Massachusetts, that two mullein stalks and a huckleberry-bush are called a grove.

VALUABLE TIMBER-LAND FOR SALE.

The subscriber has still for sale a few valuable LOTS of LOCUST and CHESTNUT TIMBER-LAND.

July 20. J. D. PAXTON.

Teachers Wanted.
The School Directors of Strasburg township will meet at the house of Jacob L. Grass, in Hantersburg, on Saturday the 7th day of August next, at 1 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of employing SEVEN TEACHERS, to take charge of the Public Schools of said Township. By order,
JOHN G. BRINKERHOFF, Sec'y.

July 20.

W. R. Linn, of Newville, Pa.,
AGENT FOR
Prince & Co's Improved Melodeons
THE BEST IN THE WORLD!
Also, the World-renowned
CHICKERING PIANOS.

Pianos and Melodeons delivered to any address at Manufacturers' prices. Every instrument warranted. Send for a circular. July 12. 3m

NOTICE.
The first and final account of Elias Hartman, Committee of SOPHIA BEAR (deceased), has been filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Adams county, and will be confirmed by the said Court on the 16th day of August next, unless cause be shown to the contrary.

JACOB BUSHEY, Protl'y.
Prothonotary's Office, Gettysburg, July 19, 1858.

Pamphlet Laws.
THE Pamphlet Laws for 1858 have been received at the Prothonotary's Office, and are ready for distribution to those who are entitled to receive them.

JACOB BUSHEY, Protl'y.
Prothonotary's Office, Gettysburg, July 12, 1858.

Pay Up.
PERSONS indebted to the late Firm of BARNES & AUGENBAUGH, are hereby notified to make payment, to Geo. E. Barnes, Esq., on or before the 24th day of July, as after that date all claims due and unpaid will be put in suit for immediate collection.

BRINMAN & AUGENBAUGH.
July 5.

To Builders.
HAVING inherited our stock of Hardware, Oil, Paints, Glass, &c. We are prepared to offer very great inducements to persons building.

FAIRBANKS BROTHERS.
SHERIFF'S SALES.

IN pursuance of sundry writs of Venditioni Exponas and Fieri Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams county, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale, at the Court-house in the Borough of Gettysburg, on Saturday the 7th day of August, A. D. 1858, at 1 o'clock, P. M., the following described Real Estate:

No. 1. A Lot of Ground,
situate on Baltimore street, in the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams county, Pa., adjoining lot of Henry J. Stables on the north, and lot of Rev. C. P. Krauth on the south, with the improvements, to wit:—One two-story weather-boarded HOUSE, with two-story Brick Back-building attached, a log Stable, and a well of water.

No. 2. One other Lot,
situated on High street, in said Borough, adjoining Public School-house on the east, and a private alley on No. 1 on the west, and running back to an alley, on which is erected a two-story Brick DWELLING, with Back-building attached.

No. 3. A Lot of Ground,
situated on the corner of Washington and West Middle-streets, running back to an alley in said Borough, on which are erected a two-story Brick HOUSE, a one and a half story Frame HOUSE, and a Frame Blacksmith shop.

No. 4. A Lot of Ground,
fronting on Middle street, adjoining Lot of Samuel Weaver on the west, and Lot No. 3 on the east, and running back to an alley in said Borough.

No. 5. A Tract of Land,
containing 7 Acres, more or less, situated in the Borough of Gettysburg aforesaid, adjoining lands of Robert Smith and others.

No. 6. A Tract of Land,
containing 36 Acres, more or less, situated in Cumberland township, Adams county, Pa., adjoining lands of Ephraim Hanaway, John Herbst and others.

No. 7. A Tract of Land,
containing 5 Acres, more or less, situated in the Borough of Gettysburg aforesaid, bounded and described as follows: On the north by the Millerstown road, and on the south by West Middle-street. Seized and taken in execution as the estate of THOMAS F. FRAZER.

—ALSO—
A Lot of Ground,
fronting on South Baltimore street, in the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams county, Pa., bounded on the south by lot of Dr. John Funk, and on the north and west by public alleys, on which are erected a two-story Log weather-boarded HOUSE, a Brick Back-building, a large Frame Shop, (recently converted as a Store,) a Brick Stable, Frame Wood-house, and all necessary Out-buildings. Seized and taken in execution as the property of PETER SEARDS.

—ALSO—
A Tract of Land,
containing 45 Acres, more or less, situated in Cumberland township, Adams county, Pa., adjoining lands of Daniel Keckler, Joseph Bayly and others, on which is erected a two-story Log HOUSE, and a well of water near the door. Seized and taken in execution as the property of EDMUND HUNTER.

—ALSO—
A Tract of Land,
situated in Mountpleasant township, Adams county, Pa., adjoining lands of John M. Samuel Casman and others, containing 13 Acres, more or less, on which are erected a one-story Stone HOUSE and Frame Stable; a spring on the premises. Seized and taken in execution as the property of Samuel Chiswell.

—ALSO—
The Interest of Job M. Peters in a Tract of Land,
containing 55 Acres, more or less, situate in Butler township, Adams county, Pa., adjoining lands of Henry G. Koser, Samuel Hummer, John Walter and others, on which are erected a two-story Log HOUSE, with one-story Kitchen attached, a Double Log Barn, Spring-house, and other Out-buildings. Seized and taken in execution as the property of Job M. Peters.

—ALSO—
ISAAC LIGHTNER, Sheriff,
Sheriff's Office, Gettysburg, July 12, 1858.

62½ per cent. of the purchase money upon all sales by the Sheriff must be paid over immediately after the property is struck down, or upon failure to comply therewith the property will be again put up for sale.

GROCERIES.
I have a few HATHAWAY COOK STOVES, which I will sell for \$25 each. March 15. GEO. ARNOLD.

MISS MCCREARY has just returned from the city with a fresh assortment of Neapolitan, English Straw and Colored Straw Bonnets. Call and see them.

Notice of Inquest.
NOTICE is hereby given to all the heirs and legal representatives of Mrs. SARAH ARMSTRONG, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, in the County of Adams, deceased, to wit: Margaret McConaghie, James Ewing, Margaret Ross, Ann Ewing, Eliza Ewing, Mary Ewing, Nancy Ewing, and Margaret Ewing—that an INQUEST will be held on the following property, viz: A certain Messuage or HOUSE and lot of Ground, situate in the Borough of Gettysburg, being the West half of Lot No. 70 in said Borough, adjoining lot of Rev. Charles F. Schaffner on the West and C. W. Hoffman on the East, and fronting on Chambersburg street in said Borough, on the South, with an alley on the North, together with the Dwelling-house and appurtenances, on Saturday the 7th day of August next, at 2 o'clock, P. M., on said premises, to make and legal representatives of said deceased, to appear and to answer to the inquest thereof; but if the same will not appear, then to inquire how many of said heirs it will conveniently accommodate, and part and divide the same to and among as many of them as the same will accommodate; but if the same will not admit of division at all without prejudice to or spoiling the whole thereof, then to value and appraise the same, whole and undivided—whereof all persons interested are hereby notified.

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Notice.
The undersigned, Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Adams county, to make distribution of the balance remaining in the hands of Jacob Auldberg, Administrator of the Estate of MARY SUMMERVILLE, late of Reading township, Adams county, deceased, will sit in the discharge of his duty, at his office in the Borough of Gettysburg, on Thursday the 5th day of August next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., when and where all persons interested in said distribution may attend if they think proper.

DAVID WILLS, Auditor.
July 12.

FARM FOR SALE.

The subscriber, desirous of removing to the West, offers at Private Sale, on reasonable terms, his

FARM,
situated in Manallert township, Adams county, half a mile from the Public Road leading from Reading to the Shippensburg road, 3 miles northwest of Readingville, adjoining lands of Valentine Beamer, Henry Beamer and others.

Containing 145 Acres,
more or less, of PATENTED LAND, of which 50 acres are cleared; the remainder is well timbered with Chestnut, Oak and Pine. There have been 2,000 bushels of Lima put upon the clear land. The improvements are a good two-story log weather-boarded

HOUSE,
a new Bank Barn, basement of stone, Wagon-shed, Corn-crib, Carriage-house, and other out-buildings; a well of water near the door. There is a good ORCHARD of choice fruit on the premises.

The above property will be at Private Sale until Saturday the 14th day of August next, on which day, if not sold previously, it will be offered at Public Sale, as 2 o'clock, P. M.

The property will be shown, and terms made known, by the subscriber, residing on the premises.

JOHN SILLIK.
July 12.

FARM FOR SALE.
The subscriber, desirous of removing to the West, offers at Private Sale, on reasonable terms his

FARM,
situated in Manallert township, Adams county, on the public road leading from Reading to the Shippensburg road, 3 miles north of Readingville.

containing 250 Acres,
more or less, of Patented Land; of which 100 acres are cleared, the remainder in excellent Chestnut and Chestnut Oak Timber, as good as any in the County. The clear land has been twice limed—100 bushels of lime having been put upon it. The improvements are a good

TWO STORY LOG WEATHER-BEARD HOUSE,
a new Bank Barn, basement of stone, Wagon-shed, Corn-crib, Carriage-house, &c.; a well of water at the house and one at the Barn; and two ORCHARDS of choice fruit. The property will be sold all together, or divided to suit purchasers.

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VALENTINE S. FEIL.
June 28.

VALUABLE LIMESTONE FARM FOR SALE.
THE Heirs of JAMES BLYTHIE, dec., offer at Private Sale, on the premises, the

FARM,
of late deceased, situated in Carroll's Tract, Adams county, Pa., 8 miles west of Gettysburg, and 2 miles north of Fairfield, adjoining lands of John and Daniel Miekley, James Donahood, John Rhee and others, containing

127 Acres and 132 Perches
of Patented Land, with a fair proportion of Meadow and Timber-land. The improvements consist of a

TWO-STORY STONE HOUSE,
with Back-building, and a well of never failing water at the door; Blacksmith's Shop, a Double Log Barn, with Sheds, Corn-crib, and a well in the yard, also running water through the Farm. There is a variety of Fruit-Trees, &c. and an excellent ORCHARD on the premises.

The land is in a good state of cultivation, being principally a Limestone soil, with an abundant quarry of Stone, and a substantial Lime-Kiln, but recently erected.

Persons wishing to examine the property will call upon one of the Heirs residing thereon.

THE HEIRS.
May 24, 1858.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.
THE undersigned offers at Private Sale, all his Real Estate as follows:

No. 1.—My late residence in Gettysburg, fronting 30 feet on Chambersburg street, with Brick DWELLING, Stable and other improvements.

No. 2.—Lot adjoining the above on the West, fronting 20 feet on street, with Stable, &c.

No. 3.—Lot adjoining No. 2, fronting 25 feet on same street, with large Coach Shop, and other improvements.

No. 4.—Lot adjoining No. 3, fronting 30 feet with double Brick DWELLING, Smith Shop, &c.

No. 5.—Lot west of the Foundry, with Steam Saw and Grist Mill.

No. 6.—Lot adjoining No. 5, containing about 3 Acres.

No. 7.—Three Lots fronting each 30 feet on Chambersburg street.

No. 8.—Lot northeast of Town, containing about 4½ Acres.

No. 9.—Tract of Land in Hamiltonian township, lying on Marsh creek, containing 51 acres, part cleared and partly first-rate timber.

No. 10.—Couch Establishment in Shepherdstown, Va., with good will, &c. The location is an admirable one for business, and improvements in good order.

Enquire of D. A. BECHLER, Esq., Gettysburg, or the undersigned residing in Shepherdstown, Va. C. W. HOFFMAN.
Jan. 18.

SHEDS & BUEHLER have, at their Store Ware Room, in West Middle-street, and at their Coal and Lumber Yard, on Washington street, four varieties of COOKING STOVES—embracing the Noble Cook, Royal Cook, William Penn and Sea Shell. These Stoves are of Philadelphia manufacture, have been recently patented, and are pronounced superior to all others in the country, for Coal or Wood. Call and see us. They will be delivered, if desired, anywhere within the County.

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DAVID WILLS, Auditor.
July 12.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.
THE undersigned, Assignee of CHARLES McKracken and Wife, of Franklin township, Adams county, under order of Voluntary Assignment, hereby gives notice to all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said CHARLES McKracken, to call and make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them, properly authenticated, for settlement.

JOHN HOOVER, Assignee.
June 14.

Particular Attention!
THE RAIL ROAD
WILL without doubt be finished to Gettysburg by the first of October next, and it is confidently expected that the board of Directors will give a free "flow out" on that great day. Therefore, Picking would most respectfully inform those 5000 or so who purchased their Overcoats from him last fall, and those 499 who have already procured their Summer Clothing, and the public generally, that he has just returned from the city with another beautiful assortment of Coats, consisting of Cloth, Cassimere, Cashmere, Italian cloth, Ducks, and Linen, Frocks, sack and Kilgins.

PANTS
of every possible description, and at prices that cannot fail to please the most economical purchaser.

VESTS
that will compete in make and style with the best custom work. Thankful for the past encouragement, I hope by a desire to please, a strict attention to business, and by giving you all good and cheap clothing, to merit a continuance of your patronage. Remember the place, Chambersburg street, opposite the English Lutheran Church.

F. B. PICKING.
July 19.

Clear the Way for the New Firm!
No. 1, 2, and 3, Riding and Wagon saddles, Trouting, Buggy, and Carriage Harness, Buggy, Carriage, Stage, Mule Lugs, Ticking and common Collars. Riding and Driving Bridles, Martingales, Halters, Horse covers and Fly Nets of every description; Whips &c., just received and for sale at unusually low at BRINGMAN & CULPS, sign of the "BIG BOOT," Chambersburg street.

May 10.

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TOURNAMENT.

MAGNIFICENT AFFAIR!

A Grand TOURNAMENT will come off at Mumma's, Adams county, Pa., on Saturday, July 31st, in which the Ladies and Gentlemen of the surrounding country are respectfully invited to participate.

MANY GALLANT KNIGHTS have signified their intention to become competitors for honors, and many more will avail themselves of the opportunity before the decisive hour arrives. The site selected for the occasion cannot be surpassed in the country for beauty. Extensive preparations are being made to convenience and comfort the visitors. Seats will be provided, and the entire proceedings will be under the supervision of the County and adjoining Counties, are cordially invited to be present in this contest for the QUEEN OF LOVE AND BEAUTY.

The Committee of Arrangements will spare no labor in having the above carried out on a magnificent scale. The Tilt will commence at 10 o'clock, A. M.

Chief Marshal—E. W. Stahl, Assistant Marshals—Andrew Hentzmann, James Nickley, Capt. F. Baily, H. Latslaw, Capt. Jacob Kuebler.

Heralds—Jacob Nickley, C. H. Pulverer, Wm. J. Martin, Jacob Marks, Jacob H. Plank, B. Strasbaugh.

Judges—Henry Nickley, Isaac Lightner, John Hanes, John Huorner, David Schriver, Jacob Kuebler, H. J. Brinkerhoff, George Thomas.

Committee of Arrangements—Henry Bitter, S. Hart, A. J. Potterfield, D. C. Wiser, H. Witmore, Isaac Byers, Abraham Kline, H. Haldeman, C. D. Myers, Peter Nickley, M. D. Myers, Henry Roth, Jacob Eyster, L. Hart, A. Wollord.

The BLUES BAND, of Gettysburg, will be present, and a Charge delivered to the Knights on the occasion. Knights who have not entered their names will please notify the Secretary, A. J. Potterfield, as early as possible. Carriages, Buggies, &c., will form their line on the west side of the ring.

For the convenience of those wishing to exercise, tilting will be held at the grounds on Saturdays in the afternoon previous to the 31st.

July 19.

Normal Class.

At the solicitation of many persons desirous for the improvement of the Common Schools in this county, the subscriber is induced to open a School in this place, during his summer vacation, and to continue it ten weeks, provided sufficient encouragement is given. Persons wishing to attend, will receive a circular giving full particulars by applying to the County Superintendent, W. L. Campbell, Esq., Robert Lyle, or the subscriber. The class will not be limited to those merely desirous of learning, but a good opportunity will be afforded to any others wishing to pursue the common or higher English studies. The session to commence the 19th of July next.

M. S. CONYERSE,
Principal of Public School.
Gettysburg, July 5.

Notice to Teachers.

I WOULD respectfully call the attention of the Teachers of the county to the care of M. S. CONYERSE, A. M., published in the papers of our county, proposing to form a "Normal Class" in this place, to continue some ten weeks. This enterprise, on the part of Mr. Conyerse, meets my most cordial approbation, and I would urge upon the teachers the importance of forming a class under his instruction, and hereby becoming better qualified for the responsible position they hold. Mr. Conyerse is a gentleman of high literary and scientific attainments, has been the charge of a normal school in New York for several years, and our teachers would find it of great advantage to themselves to attend his class. Mr. Conyerse will send a circular to every teacher in the county, containing a statement as to terms, commencement of session, &c.

W. L. CAMPBELL,
Co. Superintendent.
Gettysburg, July 5.

NEW SPRING GOODS!

J. L. SCHICK has just received and offers for sale the most desirable assortment of DRY GOODS ever brought to Gettysburg, consisting in part of Spring Silks, Plain Black do., Foulards, Chalk Robes a'la'la, Lains do., Spring Delaines, Oriental Lains. Also, Bombazines, Alpacaes, De Reges, Gingham, Lawns, Brilliant, Shepherds, Plaids, Crapes, De Espanne, Tissue Baroque, &c.

April 5, 1858.

Spring Millinery.

MISS WOODBURY has just returned from the City, and is now open, offering a beautiful assortment of MILLINERY, and FANCY GOODS, of the latest styles, which she will sell at the lowest cash prices, and which she invites the ladies to call and examine.

April 19.

STATEMENT OF THE

BANK OF GETTYSBURG.

As required by the 2d section of the Act of the General Assembly of this Commonwealth, approved the 10th day of Oct., A. D. 1857.

ASSETS.

Loans and Discounts,	\$20,527 03
Stock of the Commonwealth,	24,189 70
Specie,	63,789 23
Due by City Banks,	96,821 15
Country Banks,	4,030 05
Notes of other Banks,	2,920
	107,471 23

Stocks,	995 74
Judgments,	22,249 61
Bonds,	8,295 83
Real Estate,	9,825 00
	\$145,313 90

LIABILITIES.

Circulation,	280,580 00
Deposites,	24,106 27
Due to other Banks,	3,522 35
	\$308,157 62

I, T. D. CARSON, Cashier of the Bank of Gettysburg, being affirmed, depose and say, that the above statement is correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

T. D. CARSON, Cashier.

Gettysburg, July 3, 1858.

Attested before me, this 9th day of July, A. D. 1858. GEO. ARNOLD, J. P.

Store for Sale.

THE entire stock and fixtures of the store at Gettysburg Springs, Adams county. The goods are new and fresh and well suited for a country store. Also, a lot of CHEST-NUT RAISINS and POSITS. Apply to GEORGE H. GERRMAN, Gettysburg; or

JNO. DOWNEY, Fayetteville, Pa.

May 31.

PARASOLS—Latest Styles, at

MISS McCREARY'S.

VIOLINS, Flutes, Accordions, Pianos, &c.

PICKING'S.

NEW FIRM

IN THE

SHOE and HAT

BUSINESS.

PAXTON & McILHENY

HAVE commenced business at the well-known Stand of COBBAN & PAXTON, at the S. E. Corner of the Centre Square. Business to be done on the principle of quick sales and short profits. We will constantly keep on hand a good stock, and sell cheap. To satisfy yourself, call and see our assortment. We intend to give our personal attention to business, with a disposition to please the particular tastes of every one who may favor us with their patronage.

PAXTON & McILHENY.

March 22.

REMOVAL.

New House & New Goods!

JACOBS & BROTHER

HAVE removed their Merchant Tailoring Establishment to the splendid new three-story house on the north side of Chambersburg street, adjoining Bringham & Aughinbaugh's, where they will continue business on a larger scale than ever.

Their stock of Cloths, cassimeres, Cassinets, Vestings, &c., &c., has been largely increased, and they are prepared to sell as low as the lowest—defying all competition. Give them a call and examine their assortment before purchasing elsewhere. No trouble to show goods.

Clothing made up on short notice and in the very best and most careful manner. With their long practical experience in the business, and a desire to please, they hope to be able to give satisfaction in all cases.

ALL ONE AND ALL!

Gettysburg, March 20, 1858.

NEW FIRM.

BRINGMAN & CULP,

Successors to Bringham & Aughinbaugh,

Manufacturers and Dealers in

HATS, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Trunks, Har-

ness, Saddles, Bridles, Collars, Umbrel-

lans, Canes, &c., &c. Having commenced

business at the well-known stand of Bringham & Aughinbaugh, (Sign of the Big Bear)

we invite all who desire anything in our line of business, feeling confident that we will be

able to give entire satisfaction to all who may favor us with their patronage. Boots and

Shoes made upon the shortest notice, as heretofore. Also, Saddles, Harness, Bridles,

Trunks, &c., and all kinds of repairing done at the shortest notice.

Come one! Come all! Remember the place, Chambersburg street, Sign of the Big Bear.

April 26.

NEW GOODS

At the New Firm of Paxton & McIlheny,

South-east Corner of Centre Square.

THE subscribers respectfully inform the

Citizens of Gettysburg, and the public generally, that they have just received, and are

now opening, a very choice selection of

HATS and CAPS, consisting of Oakford

Philadelphia Spring style, MOLESKIN

DRESS HATS, unsurpassed for neatness of

shape and elegance of finish; FELT, FUR

and WOOL HATS, of all colors and styles,

together with a complete assortment of

MEN'S and BOYS' CAPS, which they warrant to be of the best material and most

fashionable styles—all of which will be offered at very low prices; also, STRAW GOODS,

of every variety and style.

These Goods were carefully selected, and brought to Cash; which will enable them to sell at very low prices.

PAXTON & McILHENY.

May 10.

NEW GOODS!

HAS just received from the City a Large

Stock of Goods, among which is a great

variety of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS,

very cheap, and latest style. Also, cheap

Olds, Cassimeres, Twines, Summer Cloth,

Dray Duties, Contingents, Vestings, Linens,

Clothes, Gingham, a Large Stock of Domestic

Goods.

GROCERIES, &c., &c.

The above Goods have been well selected,

and will be sold at small profits, for cash.

Please call, examine and judge for yourselves.

Gettysburg, March 20, 1858.

FRESH FRUITS,

GROCERIES, NOTIONS, &c.

Fruits.—Fruits of every description, as

follows—Lays Raisins, Figs, Oranges, Lem-

ons, Dates, Palm Nuts, Filberts, hard and

paper shell Almonds, Pot nuts, &c.

Groceries.—A good assortment of Sugars—

Loaf, Brown, Powdered and Cru bed, Coffee,

N. O. Molasses, Syrups of the best quality,

Rice, Soda, Starch, Tea, Cassimere (ground

and unground,) Cloves, Mustard, &c.

Perfumery.—Perfumery of every descrip-

tion, which will be sold low for Cash.

Lenox Syringes.—A large lot just received.

Any one desiring a cheap, pleasant and

wholesome drink will do well by purchasing this

Syrup.

Tobacco.—All the various kinds of Tobacco,

Cigars and Snuff, for sale by Wm. Boyer &

Son.

WM. BOYER & SON.

April 20.

CANDLES, Kisses, Liquorice, Citrons,

Corn French Prunes, Currants, Figs, Raisins

Gum Drops, Juniper Paste, Lozenges, Fil-

berts, Almonds, English Walnuts, Butter

and Pea Nuts, Pickles, Cucumbers, Tomato

Catsup, &c., &c. (prime) at SCOTT'S.

TIN MILK-PANS, of all sizes, on hand or

made to order, at BUEHLER'S, in Cham-

bersburg Street.

HOUSE SPOUTING and TIN ROOFING

promptly attended to by GEORGE E.

BUEHLER.

VESTS—Such as Satin, Italian Cloth, Buff

and White Marseilles, Linen, German,

&c., at

TIN-WARE, of every description, on hand

and for sale at GEO. E. BUEHLER'S, in

Chambersburg street.

BONNETS, Ribbons, and Flowers, of every

variety, and to suit every taste, to be

found cheap at

FAHNESTOCK'S.

RAISINS, bunch and layer cheaper than

the cheapest for sale by

Gillespie & Thomas.

JUST RECEIVED—A large lot of Bleach-

ed and Unbleached Shedd and Shit-

ing, all of which we offer at reduced prices.

H. S. & E. H. MINNIGH.

CARRIAGE TRIMMINGS can always

be bought lower, and a large assortment

than elsewhere, is always to be had at

FAHNESTOCK'S.

SOCKS, Suspenders, Cravats and Hand-

kerchiefs, at

PICKING'S.

HAIR-PER.—A first-rate article just receiv-

ed and for sale by

Gillespie & Thomas.

Professional Cards.

DAVID A. BUEHLER,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

WILL promptly attend to collections and

all business entrusted to his care.

Office in the Diamond, adjoining store

of Boyer & Son.

Gettysburg, Feb. 4.

WM. B. McCLELLAN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE on the south side of the Public

Square, two doors west of the "Sentinel"

Office.

Dec. 23.

D. M'CONAUGHY,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Office removed to one door west of Buehler's

Drug & Book-Store, Chambersburg street.

For Persons and Patents,

Bounty Land Warrants, Back-Pay Suspended

Claims, and all other claims against the Government

at Washington, D. C.; also American

claims in England and Warrants located

and sold, or bought, and highest prices given.

Lands for sale in Iowa, Illinois, and other

Western States; and Agents engaged locating

Warrants there.

Apply to him personally or by letter.

Gettysburg, Nov. 7.

J. Lawrence Hill, M. D.

Has his Office one door west of the Lu-

theran Church, on Chambersburg street,

opposite P. Picking's Store, where persons

wishing to have any Dental operations per-

formed are respectfully invited to call.

REFERENCES.

Rev. C. P. Krantz, D. D. Prof. Muhlenberg,

Prof. M. Jacobs, M. J. Stover,

Dr. H. Baughor, Dr. H. S. Haver,

April 18.

SUNBEAM GALLERY.

THE subscriber would respectfully an-

nounce to the citizens of Gettysburg and

the public generally, that he has provided

himself with an entire new and splendid

SKY-LIGHT AMBROTYPE ROOM, at his

residence in West Middle street, one Square

west of Fahnestock's Store, where he is pre-

pared to furnish

AMBROS, MELANOS, ENAMEL AND

PHOTOGRAPH PICTURES.

In every style of the art, which he will war-

rant to give entire satisfaction, and is pre-

pared to accommodate all with GOOD PIC-

TURES, either single or in groups. He also

has a number of specimens of his work in

Chambersburg street, a few doors West of

Bringham & Culp's large Shoe Store, where

he still continues as formerly to take pic-

tures.

All who desire a correct likeness of them-

selves and friends, will do well to give us a

call, as we have reduced our prices to suit the

present "Hard Times."

Pictures copied from old specimens of all

kinds; also, inserted in Lockets, Breast-Pins,

Finger-Rings, &c.

The subscriber being thankful to his friends

and the public in general for past patronage,

wishes them to continue it, and assures them